

KMS STATES ON FINITE-GRAPH C^* -ALGEBRAS

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ABSTRACT. We study KMS states on finite-graph C^* -algebras with sinks and sources. We compare finite-graph C^* -algebras with C^* -algebras associated with complex dynamical systems of rational functions. We show that if the inverse temperature β is large, then the set of extreme β -KMS states is parametrized by the set of sinks of the graph. This means that the sinks of a graph correspond to the branched points of a rational function from the point of KMS states. Since we consider graphs with sinks and sources, left actions of the associated bimodules are not injective. Then the associated graph C^* -algebras are realized as (relative) Cuntz-Pimsner algebras studied by Katsura. We need to generalize Laca-Nesheveyev's theorem of the construction of KMS states on Cuntz-Pimsner algebras to the case that left actions of bimodules are not injective.

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1. INTRODUCTION

KMS states on C^* -algebras are originated from the equilibrium states in statistical physics. Olsen-Pederson [26] studied KMS states on Cuntz-algebra \mathcal{O}_n ([2]) of n generators with respect to the gauge action, and they proved that a β -KMS state exists if and only if $\beta = \log n$ and the β -KMS state is unique. Evans [5] extended the result to certain quasi-free automorphisms. Enomoto-Fujii-Watatani [4] studied KMS states on Cuntz-Krieger algebras \mathcal{O}_A ([3]) associated with finite graphs with no sinks nor sources. If the 0-1 matrix A is irreducible and not a permutation, then a β -KMS state exists if and only if $\beta = \log r(A)$ and the β -KMS state is unique, where $r(A)$ is the spectral radius of A . Exel-Laca [7] studied KMS states on Exel-Laca algebras and Toeplitz extensions. They introduced KMS states of finite type and infinite type, which are useful in our study. They showed that there occur phase transitions. Exel [6] considered KMS states on his C^* -algebras by endomorphism with a transfer operator. Kumjian and Renault [14] studied KMS states on C^* -algebras associated with expansive maps.

Pimsner [27] introduced a general construction of C^* -algebras through Hilbert C^* -bimodules or C^* -correspondences. Many C^* -algebras are known to be expressed as Cuntz-Pimsner C^* -algebras.

The above results on KMS states are extended to KMS states on C^* -algebras associated with subshifts in Matsumoto-Watatani-Yoshida [24] and Cuntz-Pimsner algebras associated with bimodules of finite basis in Pinzari-Watatani-Yonetani [28].

Laca-Nesheveyev [23] gave a theorem of construction of KMS states for general Cuntz-Pimsner algebras. Using their theorem, we classified KMS states on C^* -algebras associated with the complex dynamical systems on the Riemann sphere $\hat{\mathbb{C}}$ given by iteration of rational functions R and C^* -algebras associated with self-similar sets in [10] with Izumi. In particular we showed that there exists a phase transition at $\beta = \log \deg R$. If the inverse temperature $\beta > \log \deg R$, then the set of extreme β -KMS states is parametrized by the set of branched points.

On the other hand, Cuntz-Krieger algebras are generalized as graph C^* -algebras associated with general graphs having sinks and sources, which are studied for example in Kumujian-Pask-Raeburn [21], Kumujian-Pask-Raeburn-Renault [22] and Fowler-Laca-Raeburn [8]. They consider relations between graphs and the associated graph C^* -algebras. See [29] by I. Raeburn to know a total aspect of graph C^* -algebras.

In this paper we study KMS states on finite-graph C^* -algebras associated with graphs having sinks and sources. We show that if the inverse temperature β is large, then the set of extreme β -KMS states is parametrized by the set of sinks of the graph. We compare finite-graph C^* -algebras with C^* -algebras associated with complex dynamical systems of rational functions. Our result suggests that the sinks of a graph correspond to the branched points of a rational function from the point of KMS states.

Relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras are a generalization of Cuntz-Pimsner algebras and are defined in [25] and studied in [9]. As in Katsura [19], the graph C^* -algebras associated with graphs having sources and sinks can be constructed as relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras of bimodules such that left actions are not injective. Hence we shall generalize Laca-Nesheveyev's theorem of KMS states to that of relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras associated with general C^* -correspondences with a countable basis. Our proof is more constructive than that of Laca-Nesheveyev. We need to investigate the structure of cores of relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras to study it.

The contents of the present paper is as follows. In section 2, we present the fundamental matters of C^* -correspondences, relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras and the structure of cores of relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras. In section 3, we present properties of countable basis, the degree of C^* -correspondences. We prove a theorem of construction of KMS states on relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras which generalize the theorem of Laca-Nesheveyev. In section 4, we present a classification of KMS states on finite-graph C^* -algebras, and show that sinks correspond to KMS states if the inverse temperature is sufficiently large.

2. C^* -CORRESPONDENCES AND THE STRUCTURE OF CORES

In this section, we present fundamental matters of C^* -correspondences, the construction of associated C^* -algebras, and investigate the structure of the cores of relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras using some results of Katsura [19], [20].

Definition 2.1. Let A be a C^* -algebra. A linear space X is called a Hilbert A -module if the following conditions hold:

- (1) There exist an A -valued hermitian, positive definite inner product $(\cdot|\cdot)_A$ and a right action of A which is compatible with the A -inner product.
- (2) X is complete with respect to the norm $\|x\| = \|(x|x)_A\|^{1/2}$.

If the linear span of A -inner product is dense in A , then X is called full.

Let A be a C^* -algebra and X a Hilbert A -module. We denote by $\mathcal{L}(X)$ the set of linear operators on X which are adjointable with respect to the A -valued inner product. For x and $y \in X$, put $\theta_{x,y}z = x(y|z)_A$ for $z \in X$. We denote by $\mathcal{K}(X)$ the norm closure of the linear span of $\{\theta_{x,y} | x, y \in X\}$ in $\mathcal{L}(X)$. If there exists a $*$ -homomorphism ϕ from A to $\mathcal{L}(X)$, then we call the pair (X, ϕ) (or simply X) a C^* -correspondence over A . We assume neither that X is full, that ϕ is non-degenerate nor that ϕ is isometric. Let $J_X = \phi^{-1}(\mathcal{K}(X)) \cap (\ker \phi)^\perp$, and J be a closed two sided ideal of A contained in J_X .

A representation π of a C^* -correspondence (X, ϕ) on a Hilbert space \mathcal{H} consists of representations π_A and π_X of A and X i.e. π_A is a $*$ -homomorphism from A to $B(\mathcal{H})$ and π_X is a linear map from X to $B(\mathcal{H})$ satisfying

$$\pi_X(x)^* \pi_X(y) = \pi_A((x|y)_A), \quad \pi_X(x) \pi_A(a) = \pi_X(xa), \quad \pi_A(a) \pi_X(x) = \pi_X(\phi(a)x),$$

for $x, y \in X$ and $a \in A$. When π_A is injective, π_X is isometric.

For a representation $\pi = (\pi_A, \pi_X)$ of (X, ϕ) , there corresponds a representation π_K of $\mathcal{K}(X)$ satisfying $\pi_K(\theta_{x,y}) = \pi_X(x) \pi_X(y)^*$ [12]. The representation $\pi_X^{(n)}$ of $X^{\otimes n}$, $\pi_K^{(n)}$ of $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$ are also defined naturally. We use the notation $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes 0}) = A$ and $\pi_K^0 = \pi_A$ for convenience.

Definition 2.2. (Fowler-Muhly-Raeburn [9], Katsura [20]) Let J be a closed two sided ideal of A contained in J_X . A representation $\pi = (\pi_A, \pi_X)$ of a C^* -correspondence (X, ϕ) is said to be J -covariant if

$$\pi_A(a) = \pi_K(\phi(a)) \quad \text{for any } a \in J. \tag{1}$$

Let $\pi = (\pi_A, \pi_X)$ be the representation of (X, ϕ) which is universal for all J -covariant representations. The relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebra $\mathcal{O}_X(J) = C^*(\pi)$ is the C^* -algebra generated by $\pi_A(A)$ and $\pi_X(X)$ for the universal representation π . We note that π_A of the universal representation π is known to be injective (Katsura [19] Proposition 4.11).

Lemma 2.3. (T.Katsura [19] Proposition 3.3) Let $\pi = (\pi_A, \pi_X)$ be a representation of (X, ϕ) . Assume that π is J -covariant and π_A is injective. Take a in A . If $\pi_A(a)$ is in $\pi_K(\mathcal{K}(X))$, then a is in J_X and $\pi_A(a) = \pi_K(\phi(a))$.

Lemma 2.4. Let $\pi = (\pi_A, \pi_X)$ be a representation of (X, ϕ) . Assume that π is J -covariant and π_A is injective. Then for $a \in A$, $\pi_A(a)$ is in $\pi_K(\mathcal{K}(X))$ if and only if a is in J .

Proof. For $a \in A$, assume that $\pi_A(a) \in \pi_K(\mathcal{K}(X))$. By Lemma 2.3, we have $a \in J_X$ and $\pi_A(a) = \pi_K(\phi(a))$.

By Katsura [20] Corollary 11.4, if (π_A, π_X) is a representation of (X, ϕ) satisfying the equation (1), we have

$$\{a \in A \mid \phi(a) \in \mathcal{K}(X), \pi_A(a) = \pi_K(\phi(a))\} = J.$$

This shows the conclusion. \square

We define subalgebras B_n $n \geq 1$ and B_0 by

$$B_n = \pi_K^{(n)}(\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})), \quad B_0 = \pi_A(A).$$

These are C^* -subalgebras of $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$. We put

$$\mathcal{F}^{(n)} = B_0 + B_1 + \cdots + B_n.$$

For integers n, i we introduce the notation (n, i) by

$$(n, i) = \begin{cases} n - i & n \geq 1, i \geq 1 \\ n - 1 & n \geq 1, i = 0 \\ 0 & n = 0, i = 0. \end{cases}$$

Let $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes i})$ $i \geq 1$. For $\xi_1 \in X^{\otimes i}$, $\xi_2 \in X^{\otimes n-i}$, we define $k \otimes id_{(n,i)}$ by

$$(k \otimes id_{(n,i)})(\xi_1 \otimes \xi_2) = k\xi_1 \otimes \xi_2.$$

Then $k \otimes id_{(n,i)}$ is an element of $\mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$. The notation $a \otimes id_{(n,0)}$ means $\phi(a) \otimes id_{n-1}$. When $n = 0$, $a \otimes id_{(0,0)}$ is a left multiplication representation of A on a Hilbert A -module A .

Lemma 2.5. *For each m , B_m is an ideal in $\mathcal{F}^{(m)}$, and $\mathcal{F}^{(m)}$ is a C^* -subalgebra.*

Proof. We assume $1 \leq m \leq n$, $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes m})$, $k' \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$. Since $k \otimes id_{(n,m)} \in \mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$, we have $(k \otimes id_{(n,m)})k' \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$. By Katsura [19] Lemma 5.4, we have

$$\pi_K^{(m)}(k)\pi_K^{(n)}(k') = \pi_K^{(n)}((k \otimes id_{(n,m)})k').$$

This shows that B_n is an ideal in $\mathcal{F}^{(n)}$. We can check the case $m = 0$ separately. \square

We need to investigate $\mathcal{F}^{(n-1)} \cap B_n$ for a proof of the theorem of constructing KMS states.

Note that $(X^{\otimes n}J)_A$ is a right A -submodule of X_A . By considering the embedding of "rank-one" operators, we may have an inclusion $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J) \subset \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$, and we have $\theta_{\xi, j, \eta, j'} \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J)$ for $j, j' \in J$.

Lemma 2.6. *An element $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$ is in $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J)$ if and only if*

$$(\xi|k\eta)_A \in J \quad \forall \xi, \eta \in X^{\otimes n}.$$

Proof. We refer Fowler-Muhly-Raeburn [9] Lemma 1.6 and Katsura [20] for quotient modules X_J . The notation $[a]_J \in A/J$ for an element a of a C^* -algebra A means the quotient image of $a \in A$ by J .

Since $T \in \mathcal{L}(X)$ leaves XJ invariant, we can consider an operator $[T]_J \in X/XJ = X_J$. The map $k \in K(X^{\otimes n}) \rightarrow [k]_J$ is an onto map from $K(X^{\otimes n})$ to $K(X^{\otimes n}_J)$, and its kernel is k 's such that $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J)$ ([20] Lemma 1.6). Then $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$ is contained in $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J)$ if and only if $[k]_J = 0$. Moreover we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\xi|k\eta)_A \in J & \text{ if and only if } [(\xi|k\eta)_A]_J = 0 \\ & \text{ if and only if } ([\xi]_J|[k]_J[\eta]_J)_{A/J} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

If it holds for each ξ, η , then we have $[k]_J = 0$, and this means $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J)$. \square

We put $B'_n = \pi_K^{(n)}(\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n}J))$, ($n \geq 1$) and $B'_0 = \pi_A(J)$. For the case $J = J_X$, the following Lemma is presented in Katsura [19]. It also holds for the case $J \subset J_X$.

The following lemmas are T.Katsura [19] Lemma 5.10 and T. Katsura [19] Proposition 5.11 for the case $J = J_X$. The proof for general cases is the same as the case $J = J_X$.

Lemma 2.7. *Let $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n+1})$. Then for an approximate unit $\{u_\lambda\}_{\lambda \in \Lambda}$ in $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$, we have that $k = \lim_{\lambda \in \Lambda} (u_\lambda \otimes id_1)k$.*

Lemma 2.8. *We have that $\mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} \subset B_n$.*

Proposition 2.9. *We have that $B_n \cap B_{n+1} = B'_n$ and $\mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} = B'_n$.*

Proof. First we show that $B_n \cap B_{n+1} = B'_n$. This is Katsura [19] Proposition 5.9 for $J = J_X$. Let $n = 0$. Then we have

$$\pi_A(A) \cap B_1 = \pi_A(A) \cap \pi_K(\mathcal{K}(X)),$$

By Lemma 2.4, we have $\pi_A(A) \cap B_1 = \pi_A(J)$. Moreover the proposition holds for $n = 0$ because $B'_0 = \pi_A(J)$. We may assume $n \geq 1$. Let $a, b \in J$, $\xi, \eta \in X^{\otimes n}$. Then we have $\pi_A(a) \in B_1 = \pi_K(\mathcal{K}(X))$, and

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_K^{(n)}(\theta_{\xi a, \eta b}) &= \pi_X^{(n)}(\xi a) \pi_X^{(n)}(\eta b)^* \\ &= \pi_X^{(n)}(\xi) \pi_A(a) \pi_A(b)^* \pi_X^{(n)}(\eta)^*. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\pi_A(a) \pi_A(b)^* \in B_1$, the left hand side is contained in B_{n+1} . Then we have

$$B'_n \subset B_n \cap B_{n+1}.$$

Let $x \in B_n \cap B_{n+1}$. There exists $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$ such that $\pi_K^{(n)}(k) = x$. For $\xi, \eta \in X^{\otimes n}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_A((\xi|k\eta)_A) &= \pi_X^{(n)}(\xi)^* \pi_K^{(n)}(k) \pi_X^{(n)}(\eta) \\ &= \pi_X^{(n)}(\xi)^* x \pi_X^{(n)}(\eta). \end{aligned}$$

By $x \in B_{n+1}$, the last expression is contained in B_1 . Since for $\xi, \eta \in X^{\otimes n}$, $\pi_A((\xi|k\eta)_A) \in B_1$, we have $(\xi|k\eta)_A \in J$ for $\xi, \eta \in X^{\otimes n}$ by Lemma 2.4. Then we have $k \in K(X^{\otimes n}J)$, and we have $x = \pi_K^{(n)}(k) \in B'_n$.

Lastly, we shall show that $\mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} = B'_n$. By Lemma 2.8, $\mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} \subset B_n$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} &= (\mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1}) \cap B_n = (\mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_n) \cap B_{n+1} \\ &= B_n \cap B_{n+1} = B'_n. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. \square

3. KMS STATES ON RELATIVE CUNTZ-PIMSNER ALGEBRAS

In this section, we generalize a theorem of the construction of KMS states of Cuntz-Pimsner algebras in Laca-Neshevyyev [23] to relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebras.

Let A be a σ -unital C^* -algebra and X be a countably generated Hilbert A -module.

Definition 3.1. *A sequence $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ of a Hilbert (right) C^* -module X over A is called a countable basis (or normalized tight frame) of X if*

$$x = \sum_{i=1}^\infty u_i(u_i|x)_A \quad (2)$$

for each $x \in X$, where the right hand side converges in norm.

As in Remark after [13] Proposition 1.2 ,

$$\text{For } a, b \in \mathcal{K}(X), x \in X \text{ with } 0 \leq a \leq b \leq I, \quad \|x - bx\|^2 \leq \|x\| \|x - ax\|. \quad (3)$$

This inequality implies that the right hand side of (2) converges unconditionally in the following sense: For every $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists a finite subset F_0 of \mathbb{N} such that for every finite subset F of \mathbb{N} with $F_0 \subset F$ we have

$$\|x - \sum_{i \in F} u_i(u_i|x)_A\| < \varepsilon.$$

Since $\sum_{i \in F} \theta_{u_i, u_i} \leq I$ for each finite subset $F \in \mathbb{N}$, it is sufficient to prove (2) for each x in some norm dense subset of X . We often write it as $x = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} u_i(u_i|x)_A$ to express unconditionally convergence. More generally, for any countable set Ω , the notation

$$x = \sum_{i \in \Omega} u_i(u_i|x)_A. \quad (4)$$

makes sense as unconditional convergence.

We can show the following Lemma:

Lemma 3.2. *Let A be a C^* -algebra, Y a C^* -correspondence over A and X a Hilbert A -module. Let $\{u_i\}_{i \in \Omega_1}$ be a countable basis of X and $\{v_j\}_{j \in \Omega_2}$ a countable basis of Y . Then $\{u_i \otimes v_j\}_{(i,j) \in \Omega_1 \times \Omega_2}$ is a countable basis of the inner tensor product module $X \otimes_A Y$ of X and Y .*

Proof. Let $\varepsilon > 0$. We fix a nonzero $x \otimes y \in X \otimes_A Y$. Let $\delta = \varepsilon^2 / \|x \otimes y\|$. be a positive number. We take a finite subset F of Ω_1 such that

$$\left\| \sum_{i \in F} u_i(u_i|x)_A - x \right\| < \frac{\delta}{2\|y\|}.$$

Put s be the cardinality of F . For each i ($i = 1, \dots, s$) we take a finite subset $G_i \subset \Omega_2$ such that if G' is a finite subset containing G_i then it holds that

$$\left\| \sum_{j \in G'} v_j(v_j|(u_i|x)_A y)_A - (u_i|x)_A y \right\| < \frac{\delta}{2s\|u_i\|}.$$

Let G be a finite subset containing $\bigcup_{i=1}^s G_i$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| x \otimes y - \sum_{(i,j) \in F \times G} u_i \otimes v_j(u_i \otimes v_j|x \otimes y)_A \right\| \\ &= \left\| x \otimes y - \sum_{i \in F} \sum_{j \in G} u_i \otimes v_j(v_j|(u_i|x)_A y)_A \right\| \\ &\leq \left\| x \otimes y - \sum_{i \in F} u_i(u_i|x)_A \otimes y \right\| + \left\| \sum_{i \in F} u_i \otimes (u_i|x)_A y - \sum_{i \in F} \sum_{j \in G} u_i \otimes v_j(v_j|(u_i|x)_A y)_A \right\| \\ &\leq \left\| x - \sum_{i \in F_0} u_i(u_i|x)_A \right\| \|y\| + \sum_{i \in F} \|u_i\| \left\| \sum_{j \in G} v_j(v_j|(u_i|x)_A y)_A - (u_i|x)_A y \right\| \\ &< \delta. \end{aligned}$$

Using (3), for each finite subset H of $\Omega_1 \times \Omega_2$ such that $H \supset F \times G$ we have that

$$\left\| x \otimes y - \sum_{(i,j) \in H} u_i \otimes v_j(u_i \otimes v_j|x \otimes y)_A \right\| < \varepsilon.$$

Hence $x \otimes y = \sum_{(i,j) \in \Omega_1 \times \Omega_2} u_i \otimes v_j(u_i \otimes v_j|x \otimes y)_A$. If $z = \sum_{p \text{ finite}} x_p \otimes y_p$, then

$$\sum_{(i,j) \in \Omega_1 \times \Omega_2} u_i \otimes v_j(u_i \otimes v_j|z)_A = z.$$

Since the subset of elements of the form $\sum_{p \text{ finite}} x_p \otimes y_p$ is dense in $X \otimes_A Y$, $\{u_i \otimes v_j\}_{\Omega_1 \times \Omega_2}$ constitute a basis of $X \otimes_A Y$. \square

We fix a C^* -correspondence X over a C^* -algebra A , and a countable basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ of X . Let J be a closed two sided ideal of A which is contained in J_X . $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$ denotes the relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebra constructed from X and J in section 2.

Lemma 3.3. *Let τ be a tracial state on A . Then the possibly infinite positive number $\sup_n \sum_{i=1}^n \tau((u_i|u_i)_A)$ does not depend on the choice of a countable basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$.*

Proof. Let $\{v_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ be another countable basis of X . Since $u_i = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m v_j(v_j|u_i)_A$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sup_n \sum_{i=1}^n \tau((u_i|u_i)_A) = \sup_n \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \tau((v_j(v_j|u_i)_A|u_i)_A) \\
&= \sup_n \sup_m \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \tau((v_j|u_i)_A^*(v_j|u_i)_A) = \sup_m \sup_n \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \tau((v_j|u_i)_A(v_j|u_i)_A^*) \\
&= \sup_m \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \tau((v_j|u_i)_A(u_i|v_j)_A) = \sup_m \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^n \tau((v_j|u_i(u_i|v_j)_A)_A) \\
&= \sup_m \sum_{j=1}^m \tau((v_j|v_j)_A).
\end{aligned}$$

□

Therefore we may put $d_\tau = \sup_n \sum_{i=1}^n \tau((u_i|u_i)_A) \leq \infty$.

We denote by $\mathcal{T}(A)$ the set of tracial states on A .

Definition 3.4. The degree $d(X)$ of a C^* -correspondence X is defined by $d(X) := \sup\{d_\tau | \tau \in \mathcal{T}(A)\}$. We say that X is of finite-degree type if $d(X) < \infty$.

Lemma 3.5. If A is commutative, then $d(X) = \sup_n \|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\|$ for any countable basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$.

Proof. We assume that A is commutative. By the method similar as in the proof of Lemma 3.3, we can show that $\sup_n \|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\|$ does not depend on the choice of a countable basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$.

Since

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \tau((u_i|u_i)_A) = \tau\left(\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\right) \leq \left\|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\right\|,$$

we have $d(X) \leq \sup_n \|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\|$.

We fix a countable basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$. For every $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists an n_0 such that for each $n \geq n_0$,

$$\left\|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\right\| > \sup_n \left\|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\right\| - \varepsilon.$$

There exists a tracial state τ such that

$$\tau\left(\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\right) > \left\|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\right\| - \varepsilon.$$

Thus we have $d(X) \geq \sup_n \|\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A\|$. □

Let R be a rational function of degree N and A a commutative C^* -algebra $C(\hat{\mathbb{C}})$. Consider a C^* -correspondence X over A associated with the complex dynamical

system given by R on $\hat{\mathbb{C}}$. As described in [11], we can choose a concrete countable basis such that we can compute explicitly as

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (u_i|u_i)_A(y) = \#\{R^{-1}(y)\}.$$

This equation is also shown in [16] for any basis. Thus we have

$$\sup_n \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (u_i|u_i)_A \right\| = N.$$

Therefore the degree of X coincides with the degree of R . Similar formulas hold for the case of self-similar maps.

Let Y be a C^* -correspondence over a C^* -algebra B of finite-degree type with $d(Y) = N$. Let $\beta > \log N$. For a tracial state τ on B , we can define a bounded linear functional $\hat{\tau}_1$ on $\mathcal{L}(Y)$ by

$$\hat{\tau}_1(k) = e^{-\beta} \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \tau((u_i|Tu_i)_A),$$

for $T \in \mathcal{L}(Y)$.

We need an elementary fact as follows:

Lemma 3.6. $\hat{\tau}_1$ is a trace and does not depend on the choice of a basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$.

Proof. Let $\{v_j\}_{j=1}^{\infty}$ be another basis of X , and T be a positive element in $\mathcal{L}(Y)$. As in the proof of Lemma 3.3, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_n \sum_{i=1}^n e^{-\beta} \tau((T^{1/2}u_i|T^{1/2}u_i)_A) &= \sup_n \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m e^{-\beta} \tau((v_j(v_j|T^{1/2}u_i)_A|T^{1/2}u_i)_A) \\ &= \sup_m \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^n e^{-\beta} \tau((v_j|T^{1/2}u_i(T^{1/2}u_i|v_j)_A)_A) \\ &= \sup_m \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^n e^{-\beta} \tau((T^{1/2}v_j|u_i(u_i|T^{1/2}v_j)_A)_A) \\ &= \sup_m \sum_{j=1}^m e^{-\beta} \tau((T^{1/2}v_j|T^{1/2}v_j)_A). \end{aligned}$$

This shows that the definition of $\hat{\tau}_1$ does not depend on the choice of basis. Let U be a unitary in $\mathcal{L}(Y)$. Then $\{Uu_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ is also a basis of Y . For $T \in \mathcal{L}(Y)$, we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} e^{-\beta} \tau(Uu_i|TUu_i)_A = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} e^{-\beta} \tau(u_i|Tu_i)_A.$$

Then $\hat{\tau}_1(U^*TU) = \hat{\tau}_1(T)$, and it follows that $\hat{\tau}_1$ is a trace. \square

Let I be an closed two sided ideal of a C^* -algebra B , and φ be a state on I . Consider the GNS representation $(\pi_\varphi, H_\varphi, \xi_\varphi)$. Let $\pi : A \rightarrow B(H_\varphi)$ be the extension of π_φ to A . Recall that the canonical extension $\bar{\varphi}$ of φ to B is defined as $\bar{\varphi}(a) = (\pi(a)\xi_\varphi, \xi_\varphi)$. Then $\bar{\varphi}(a) = \lim_i \varphi(ae_i)$, for any approximate unit $\{e_i\}_i$ in I as in [1] Prop. 6.4.16.

Let τ_1 be the restriction of $\hat{\tau}_1$ on $\mathcal{K}(Y)$. We note that the C^* -algebra $\mathcal{K}(Y)$ is a closed two sided ideal of $\mathcal{L}(Y)$.

Lemma 3.7. *The canonical extension $\bar{\tau}_1$ of τ_1 to $\mathcal{L}(Y)$ is given by $\hat{\tau}_1$.*

Proof. We note that $\hat{\tau}_1(\theta_{x,y}) = e^{-\beta} \tau((y|x)_A)$. If $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ is a basis of Y , then $\{\theta_{u_i, u_i}\}_{i=1}^\infty$ is an approximate unit in $\mathcal{K}(Y)$. Therefore for $T \in \mathcal{L}(Y)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\tau}_1(T) &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m \tau_1(T\theta_{u_j, u_j}) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m \tau_1(\theta_{Tu_j, u_j}) \\ &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^m e^{-\beta} \tau((u_j|Tu_j)_A) = \hat{\tau}_1(T) \end{aligned}$$

□

Let A be a C^* -algebra and X be a C^* -correspondence over A with a countable basis $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$. Since we use tensor products of correspondences and their bases frequently, we use the notations of multi index. Namely, for $\mathbf{p} = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n) \in \mathbb{N}^n$, we write $\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} = u_{i_1} \otimes u_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes u_{i_n}$.

We assume that X is of finite-degree type. We can also define a bounded tracial linear functional $\hat{\tau}^{(n)}$ on $\mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$ and its restriction $\tau^{(n)}$ to $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$ using the Hilbert A -module $X^{\otimes n}$ and its basis $\{\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}\}_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n}$ as

$$\hat{\tau}^{(n)}(T) = e^{-n\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|T\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A) \quad \text{for } T \in \mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n}).$$

Definition 3.8. *Let J be a closed two-sided ideal of A such that $J \subset J_X$, and β be a positive real number. A tracial state τ on A satisfies β -condition if it satisfies the following two conditions:*

- ($\beta 1$) $\sum_{i=1}^\infty \tau((u_i|\phi(a)u_i)_A) = e^\beta \tau(a) \quad \forall a \in J,$
- ($\beta 2$) $\sum_{i=1}^\infty \tau((u_i|\phi(a)u_i)_A) \leq e^\beta \tau(a) \quad \forall a \in A^+.$

Since B_n is isomorphic to $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$ by $\pi_K^{(n)}$ for each n , we can define a bounded linear tracial functional $\sigma^{(n)}$ on B_n by

$$\sigma^{(n)} = \tau^{(n)} \circ (\pi_K^{(n)})^{-1}.$$

For convenience, we put $\tau^{(0)} = \tau$, $\sigma^{(0)} = \tau \circ \pi_A^{-1}$.

Proposition 3.9. *We assume that a tracial state τ on A satisfies ($\beta 1$). Then, for $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} = B_n \cap B_{n+1}$, we have*

$$\sigma^{(n+1)}(x) = \sigma^{(n)}(x).$$

Proof. We put $\mathbf{p} = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n)$, $\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} = u_{i_1} \otimes u_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes u_{i_n}$, $\mathbf{p}' = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n, i_{n+1})$ and $\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'} = u_{i_1} \otimes u_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes u_{i_n} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}} = \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}}$.

Due to $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} = B_n \cap B_{n+1} = B'_n$, we can write as $x = \pi_K^{(n)}(k)$, $k \in K(X^{\otimes n}J)$, which shows $(\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|k\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A \in J$ for each $\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}$.

On the other hand, we can write $x = \pi_K^{(n+1)}(k')$, $k' \in K(X^{\otimes n+1})$ because $x \in B_{n+1}$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_A((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'}|k'\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'})_A) &= \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}})^* \cdots \pi_X(u_{i_1})^* x \pi_X(u_{i_1}) \cdots \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}}) \\ &= \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}})^* (\pi_X(u_{i_n})^* \cdots \pi_X(u_{i_1})^* x \pi_X(u_{i_1}) \cdots \pi_X(u_{i_n})) \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}}) \\ &= \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}})^* (\pi_A(\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|k\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A) \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}}) \\ &= \pi_X(u_{i_{n+1}})^* \pi_X(\phi((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|k\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A)u_{i_{n+1}}) \\ &= \pi_A((u_{i_{n+1}}|\phi((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|k\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A)u_{i_{n+1}})_A). \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\tau^{(n+1)}(k') = e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sum_{i_{n+1}=1}^{\infty} \tau((u_{i_{n+1}}|\phi((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|k\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A)u_{i_{n+1}})_A).$$

Using $(\beta 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau^{(n+1)}(k') &= e^{-n\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|k\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A) \\ &= \tau^{(n)}(k). \end{aligned}$$

By this, we have $\sigma^{(n+1)}(x) = \sigma^{(n)}(x)$ for $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1}$. \square

We assume that τ satisfies $(\beta 2)$. $\tau^{(n+1)}$ is a tracial bounded linear functional on $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n+1})$.

We assume $n \geq 1$. We denote by $\mathcal{F}(\Sigma)$ the set of finite subsets of Σ . Let $e_F = \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in F} \theta_{\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}, \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}}$ for a finite subset F of \mathbb{N}^n . Then $\{e_F\}_{F \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{N}^n)}$ is an approximate unit of $\mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes n})$. The canonical extension $\overline{\tau^{(n)}}$ of $\tau^{(n)}$ to $\mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$ satisfies

$$\overline{\tau^{(n)}}(T) = e^{-n\beta} \lim_F \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in F} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}|Te_F\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A),$$

where $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$, and it is expressed by Lemma 3.7 as

$$\overline{\tau^{(n)}}(T) = e^{-n\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}|T\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}})_A)$$

for $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$. Then the following Lemma holds.

Lemma 3.10. *We assume that τ satisfies $(\beta 2)$. Let $n \geq 1$ and $0 \leq i \leq n$. For $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes i})$, we have*

$$\overline{\tau^{(n)}}(k \otimes id_{(n,i)}) = e^{-n\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}|(k \otimes id_{(n,i)})\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}})_A).$$

Since B_{n+1} is an ideal of $\mathcal{F}^{(n+1)}$, there exists the canonical extension $\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}$ on $\mathcal{F}^{(n+1)}$. For a finite subset F of \mathbb{N}^{n+1} , we put $\hat{e}_F = \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in F} \pi_X^{(n+1)}(\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}) \pi_X^{(n+1)}(\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}})^* = \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in F} \pi_K^{(n+1)}(\theta_{\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}, \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}})$. Then $\{\hat{e}_F\}_{F \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{N}^{n+1})}$ is an approximate unit of B_{n+1} . Then we have

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x) = \lim_F \sigma^{(n+1)}(x \hat{e}_F),$$

for $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n+1)}$.

Let $x \in B_i$ for $0 \leq i \leq n$. We write as $x = \pi_K^{(i)}(k)$ where $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes i})$. Then we have

$$x \hat{e}_F = \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in F} \pi_K^{(n+1)}((k \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \theta_{\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}, \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}}).$$

Using this,

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x) &= \lim_F \sigma^{(n+1)}(x \hat{e}_F) \\ &= \lim_F \tau^{(n+1)} \left((k \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in F} \theta_{\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}, \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}}} \right) = \overline{\tau^{(n+1)}}(k \otimes id_{(n,i)}). \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 3.11. *We assume that τ satisfies $(\beta 2)$. Let $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ with $x = \sum_{i=0}^n x_i$, where $x_i \in B_i$. Take $k_i \in \mathcal{K}^{(i)}(X^{\otimes i})$ such that $x_i = \pi_K^{(i)}(k_i)$. Then we have*

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x) = e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}^{n+1}} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}} | \sum_{i=1}^n (k_i \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}})_A).$$

Proof. Using Lemma 3.10, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x_i) = \sum_{i=0}^n \overline{\tau^{(n+1)}}(k_i \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \\ &= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}^{n+1}} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}} | \sum_{i=1}^n (k_i \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{q}})_A). \end{aligned}$$

□

Proposition 3.12. *We assume that τ satisfies $(\beta 2)$. For $x \in (F^{(n)})^+$, we have*

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x) \leq \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(x).$$

Proof. We take $x \in (F^{(n)})^+$. Then we can write as $x = y^* y$ where $y \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)}$. We also write as $y = \sum_{i=0}^n y_i$ where $y_i \in B_i$, and write as $y_i = \pi_K^{(i)}(h_i)$, $h_i \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes i})$.

Then, by Lemma 5.4 in [19], we have

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^n y_i^* y_j = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^n \pi_K^{(i)}(h_i)^* \pi_K^{(j)}(h_j) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \pi_K^{(i)} \left(\sum_{j=0}^i (h_j \otimes id_{(i,j)})^* h_i + h_i^* \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} (h_j \otimes id_{(i,j)}) \right) = \sum_{i=0}^n \pi_K^{(i)}(k_i), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$k_i = \sum_{j=0}^i (h_j \otimes id_{(i,j)})^* h_i + h_i^* \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} (h_j \otimes id_{(i,j)}).$$

We put

$$k = \sum_{i=0}^n k_i \otimes id_{(n,i)}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} k &= \sum_{i=0}^n \left(\sum_{j=0}^i (h_j \otimes id_{(i,j)})^* h_i + h_i^* \sum_{j'=0}^{i-1} h_{j'} \otimes id_{(i,j')} \right) \otimes id_{(n,i)} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \left(\sum_{j=0}^i (h_j \otimes id_{(n,j)})^* (h_i \otimes id_{(n,i)}) + \sum_{j'=0}^{i-1} (h_i \otimes id_{(n,i)})^* (h_{j'} \otimes id_{(n,j')}) \right) \\ &= \left(\sum_{i=0}^n (h_i \otimes id_{(n,i)}) \right)^* \left(\sum_{j=0}^n (h_j \otimes id_{(n,j)}) \right) \\ &\geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

As in the proof of Proposition 3.9, we put $\mathbf{p} = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n)$, $\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} = u_{i_1} \otimes u_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes u_{i_n}$, $\mathbf{p}' = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n, i_{n+1})$ and $\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'} = u_{i_1} \otimes u_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes u_{i_n} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}} = \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}}$.

We prepare the following: For $k \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes i})$ ($0 \leq i \leq n$), we have

$$\begin{aligned} &e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p}' \in \mathbb{N}^{n+1}} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'} | (k \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'})_A) \\ &= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sum_{i_{n+1}=1}^{\infty} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}} | (k \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) (\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}}))_A) \\ &= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sum_{i_{n+1}=1}^{\infty} \tau((u_{i_{n+1}} | \phi((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} | (k \otimes id_{(n,i)}) \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A) u_{i_{n+1}})_A). \end{aligned}$$

If τ satisfies $(\beta 2)$ and $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^{\otimes n})$ is positive, we have

$$\sum_{i_{n+1}=1}^{\infty} \tau((u_{i_{n+1}} | (\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} | T \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A u_{i_{n+1}})_A) \leq e^{\beta} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} | T \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A).$$

Using these, we prove the Proposition. Let $x \in (\mathcal{F}^{(n)})^+$. We express $x = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$ where $x_i \in B_i$. For x_i we take k_i such that $x_i = \pi_K^i(k_i)$ and write as $k = \sum_{i=0}^n (k_i \otimes id_{(n+1,i)})$. Then by Lemma 3.7 and by the fact that τ satisfies $(\beta 2)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x) &= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p}' \in \mathbb{N}^{n+1}} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'} | \sum_{i=0}^n (k_i \otimes id_{(n+1,i)}) \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'})_A) \\
&= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p}' \in \mathbb{N}^{n+1}} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'} | (k \otimes id_1) \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}'})_A) \\
&= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sum_{i_{n+1}=1}^{\infty} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} \otimes u_{i_{n+1}} | ((k \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}}) \otimes u_{i_{n+1}}))_A) \\
&= e^{-(n+1)\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sum_{i_{n+1}=1}^{\infty} \tau((u_{i_{n+1}} | \phi((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} | k \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A) u_{i_{n+1}})_A) \\
&\leq e^{-n\beta} \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}^n} \tau((\mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}} | k \mathbf{u}_{\mathbf{p}})_A) \\
&= \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(x).
\end{aligned}$$

□

Let A be a C^* -algebra, α be an automorphic action of one dimensional torus \mathbb{T} on A . A^{anal} denotes the set $a \in A$ such that $t \rightarrow \alpha_t(a)$ has an analytic extension to \mathbb{C} .

Definition 3.13. Let $\beta > 0$. A state φ of A is called a β -KMS state on A with respect to α if

$$\varphi(x\alpha_{it}(y)) = \varphi(yx)$$

for $x \in A$ and $y \in D$, where D is a dense $*$ -subalgebra contained in A^{anal} .

We denote by E the conditional expectation of $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$ onto the fixed point algebra $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^{\mathbb{T}}$ by the gauge action. We denote by $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^{(n)}$ the n -spectral subspace with respect to the gauge action.

Lemma 3.14. ([28] Proposition 1.3) Fix $\beta > 0$. If φ is a β -KMS state on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$, then for $x, y \in \mathcal{O}_X(J)^{(n)}$,

$$\varphi(x^*y) = e^{n\beta} \varphi(yx^*). \quad (5)$$

Conversely, if a tracial state φ on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^{\mathbb{T}}$ satisfies the equation (5) for $x, y \in \mathcal{O}_X(J)^{(n)}$, then $\tau \circ E$ is a β -KMS state on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$. The correspondence is one to one and conserves extreme points.

Lemma 3.15. (Exel-Laca [7] Proposition 12.5) Let B be a unital C^* -algebra, A a C^* -subalgebra of B containing unit, and I a closed two sided ideal of B such that $B = A + I$. Let φ be a state on A and ψ a positive linear functional on I . We assume that $\varphi(x) = \psi(x)$ for $x \in A \cap I$ and that $\overline{\psi(x)} \leq \varphi(x)$ for $x \in A$. Then there exists a unique state Φ on B such that $\Phi|_A = \varphi$ and $\Phi|_I = \psi$.

Corollary 3.16. *Let B be a unital C^* -algebra, A be a C^* -subalgebra of B containing unit, and I be a closed two sided ideal of B such that $B = A + I$. Let φ be a tracial state on A and ψ a trace on I . We assume that $\varphi(x) = \psi(x)$ for $x \in A \cap I$ and that $\overline{\psi(x)} \leq \varphi(x)$ for $x \in A$. Then there exists a unique tracial state Φ on B such that $\Phi|_A = \varphi$ and $\Phi|_I = \psi$.*

Proof. Let Φ be the state extension on B constructed in Lemma 3.15. All we have to show is that Φ is tracial. Consider GNS representation $(\pi_\psi, H_\psi, \xi_\psi)$ of I . Let $\pi : B \rightarrow B(H_\psi)$ be the extension of π_ψ . The canonical extension $\overline{\psi}$ of ψ to B is defined as $\overline{\psi}(b) = (\pi(b)\xi_\psi \mid \xi_\psi)$ for $b \in B$. Define a state ψ' on the von Neumann algebra $\pi(I)''$ by $\psi'(m) = (m\xi_\psi \mid \xi_\psi)$, for $m \in \pi(I)''$. Since ψ is tracial, ψ' is also tracial. Since $\overline{\psi}(b) = (\pi(b)\xi_\psi \mid \xi_\psi)$, the canonical extension $\overline{\psi}$ is also tracial. Hence for $a, b \in A$ and $x, y \in I$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi((a+x)(b+y)) &= \Phi(ab + xb + ay + xy) = \varphi(ab) + \overline{\psi}(xb + ay + xy) \\ &= \varphi(ba) + \overline{\psi}(bx + ya + yx) = \Phi((b+y)(a+x)), \end{aligned}$$

because φ and $\overline{\psi}$ are tracial. Thus Φ is also tracial. □

Under these preparations, we shall generalize Laca-Neshevyev's theorem of the construction of KMS states on Cuntz-Pimsner algebras as follows:

Theorem 3.17. *Let X be a C^* -correspondence over A of finite-degree type with degree $N = d(X)$ and $\{u_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ a countable basis of X . Let J be an ideal of A contained in J_X . Let $\beta > 0$. Let φ be a β -KMS state on a relative Cuntz-Pimsner algebra $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$ with respect to the gauge action γ . Then the restriction of φ to $\pi_A(A)$ is a tracial state on A satisfying β -condition. Conversely, a tracial state on A satisfying β -condition extends to a β -KMS state on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$. The correspondence between the β -KMS states on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$ and the tracial states on A satisfying β -condition given by $\varphi \rightarrow \varphi|_{\pi_A(A)} \circ \pi_A$ is bijective and affine.*

Proof. Let φ be a β -KMS state on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$. The restriction of φ to $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^\mathbb{T}$ is a tracial state and satisfies the condition (5) in Lemma 3.14. For $a \in J$, we have $\phi(a) \in \mathcal{K}(X)$ and $\pi_A(a) = \pi_K(\phi(a))$. Since the equation

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \pi_X(u_i) \pi_X(u_i)^* \pi_A(a) = \pi_K\left(\sum_{i=1}^n \theta_{u_i, u_i} \phi(a)\right)$$

holds and $\{\sum_{i=1}^n \theta_{u_i, u_i}\}_{n=1}^\infty$ is an approximate unit of $\mathcal{K}(X)$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \pi_X(u_i) \pi_X(u_i)^* \pi_A(a) = \pi_A(a).$$

Using this, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \varphi(\pi_A((u_i|\phi(a)u_i)_A)) &= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \varphi(\pi_X(u_i)^* \pi_A(a) \pi_X(u_i)) \\
&= e^\beta \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \varphi(\pi_X(u_i) \pi_X(u_i)^* \pi_A(a)) \\
&= e^\beta \varphi \left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\left(\sum_{i=1}^n \pi_X(u_i) \pi_X(u_i)^* \right) \pi_A(a) \right) \right) \\
&= e^\beta \varphi(\pi_A(a)).
\end{aligned}$$

This shows that $\varphi \circ \pi_A$ satisfies $(\beta 1)$. Let $a \in A^+$. We have

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i=1}^n (\phi \circ \pi_A)((u_i|\phi(a)u_i)_A) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \varphi(\pi_X(u_i)^* \pi_A(a) \pi_X(u_i)) \\
&= e^\beta \sum_{i=1}^n \varphi(\pi_A(a) \pi_X(u_i) \pi_X(u_i)^*) \\
&= e^\beta \varphi \left(\pi_A(a)^{1/2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \pi_X(u_i) \pi_X(u_i)^* \right) \pi_A(a)^{1/2} \right) \\
&\leq e^\beta \varphi(\pi_A(a)).
\end{aligned}$$

As $n \rightarrow \infty$, we can show that $\varphi \circ \pi_A$ satisfies $(\beta 2)$.

Conversely, we take a tracial state τ on A satisfying $(\beta 1)$ and $(\beta 2)$. We construct a tracial state ω on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^\mathbb{T}$ satisfying the condition (5) in Lemma 3.14 and $\omega|_{\pi_A(A)} \circ \pi_A = \tau$ holds.

We construct a tracial state $\omega^{(n)}$ on $\mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ for each natural integer n inductively. We put $\omega^{(0)} = \tau \circ \pi_A^{-1}$. We assume that there exists a tracial state $\omega^{(n)}$ on $\mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ such that

$$\omega^{(n)}|_{B_n} = \tau^{(n)} \circ (\pi_K^{(n)})^{-1} = \sigma^{(n)}$$

and

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n)}} \leq \omega^{(n)} \quad \text{on } \mathcal{F}^{(n-1)}.$$

By Proposition 3.9, for $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)} \cap B_{n+1} = B_n \cap B_{n+1}$ we have

$$\sigma^{(n+1)}(x) = \sigma^{(n)}(x) = \omega^{(n)}(x).$$

For $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)}$, by Proposition 3.12, we have

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x^*x) \leq \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(x^*x). \quad (6)$$

By the assumption of induction, for $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n-1)}$,

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(x^*x) \leq \omega^{(n)}(x^*x).$$

Let $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ be written as $x = y + z$ where $y \in \mathcal{F}^{(n-1)}$ and $z \in B_n$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(x^*x) &= \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}((y+z)^*(y+z)) \\
&= \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(y^*y + y^*z + z^*y + z^*z) \\
&= \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(y^*y) + \sigma^{(n)}(y^*z + z^*y + z^*z) \\
&= \overline{\sigma^{(n)}}(y^*y) + \omega^{(n)}(y^*z + z^*y + z^*z) \\
&\leq \omega^{(n)}(y^*y) + \omega^{(n)}(y^*z + z^*y + z^*z) \\
&= \omega^{(n)}(y^*y + y^*z + z^*y + z^*z) \\
&= \omega^{(n)}(x^*x).
\end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

Using (6) and (7), for $x \in \mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ we have

$$\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}}(x^*x) \leq \omega^{(n)}(x^*x).$$

By Lemma 3.15, there exists a state $\omega^{(n+1)}$ on $\mathcal{F}^{(n+1)} = \mathcal{F}^{(n)} + B_{n+1}$ such that $\omega^{(n+1)}|_{\mathcal{F}^{(n)}} = \omega^{(n)}$ and $\omega^{(n+1)}|_{B_{n+1}} = \sigma^{(n+1)}$. Since $\omega^{(n)}$ and $\sigma^{(n+1)}$ are traces, we have that $\omega^{(n+1)}$ is a trace by Lemma 3.16.

We note that that $\overline{\sigma^{(n+1)}} \leq \omega^{(n+1)}$ on $\mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ because $\omega^{(n+1)} = \omega^{(n)}$ on $\mathcal{F}^{(n)}$.

By a mathematical induction argument, there exists a desired sequence $\{\omega^{(n)}\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$ of tracial states on $\mathcal{F}^{(n)}$. We define ω on $\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{F}^{(n)}$ by $\omega|_{\mathcal{F}^{(n)}} = \omega^{(n)}$, and extend it to the closure $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^{\mathbb{T}}$ by continuity. Then ω is a tracial state on $\mathcal{O}_X(J)^{\mathbb{T}}$.

Since $\omega(\pi_A(a) + \pi_K^{(1)}(k_1) + \dots + \pi_K^{(n)}(k_n)) = \tau(a) + \tau^{(1)}(k_1) + \dots + \tau^{(n)}(k_n)$ for $a \in A$ and $k_i \in \mathcal{K}(X^{\otimes i})$, ω does not depend on the choice of the basis $\{u_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ we have used in the construction.

From $\omega(\theta_{x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_n}) = e^{-n\beta} \tau((y_1 \otimes \dots \otimes y_n | x_1 \otimes \dots \otimes x_n)_A)$, ω satisfies the condition (5) of Lemma 3.14. Let $E : \mathcal{O}_X(J) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(J)^{\mathbb{T}}$ be the canonical conditional expectation. Put $\varphi = \omega \circ E$. Then φ is a β -KMS state of $\mathcal{O}_X(J)$ such that its restriction to A is τ . \square

4. KMS STATES ON THE C^* -ALGEBRA ASSOCIATED WITH FINITE GRAPHS

Cuntz-Krieger algebras are generalized as graph C^* -algebras associated with general graphs having sinks and sources, which are studied for example in Kumujian-Pask-Raeburn [21], Kumujian-Pask-Raeburn-Renault [22] and Fowler-Laca-Raeburn [8]. As in Katsura [19] C^* -algebras associated with graphs with possibly sources and sinks are expressed as C^* -algebras associated with C^* -correspondences canonically constructed from graphs. But the left actions are not necessarily injective,

Using the construction and Theorem 3.17 in the preceding section, we can describe KMS states on finite-graph C^* -algebras.

Let $E = (E^0, E^1)$ be a finite graph without multiple edges. We denote by s the source map and by r the range map of E . A vertex $v \in E^0$ is called a sink if $s^{-1}(v) = \emptyset$ and $v \in E^0$ is called a source if $r^{-1}(v) = \emptyset$

Definition 4.1. The graph C^* -algebra $C^*(E)$ of a finite graph E is the universal C^* -algebra generated by mutually orthogonal projections $\{p_v\}_{v \in E^0}$ and partial isometries $\{q_e\}_{e \in E^1}$ with orthogonal ranges, such that $q_e^* q_e = p_{r(e)}$, $q_e q_e^* \leq p_{s(e)}$ for $e \in E^1$ and

$$p_v = \sum_{e \in s^{-1}(v)} q_e q_e^* \quad \text{for } 0 < |s^{-1}(v)|.$$

We put

$$E_r^0 = \{v \in E^{(0)} \mid |s^{-1}(v)| > 0\}, \quad E_s^0 = \{v \in E^{(0)} \mid |s^{-1}(v)| = 0\}.$$

We note that E_s^0 is the set of sinks of E

Let $A = C(E^0)$ and $X = C(E^1)$. For $\xi, \eta \in X$ and $f \in A$, we put

$$\begin{aligned} (\xi|\eta)_A(v) &= \sum_{e \in r^{-1}(v)} \overline{\xi(e)} \eta(e) \quad \forall v \in E^0 \\ (\xi f)(e) &= \xi(e) f(r(e)) \quad \forall e \in E^1. \end{aligned}$$

Then X is a Hilbert C^* -module over A .

We define $\phi(f)$ for $f \in A$ by

$$\phi(f)\xi(e) = f(s(e))\xi(e),$$

where $\xi \in X$. Then ϕ is a $*$ -representation of A in $\mathcal{L}(X_A)$ and (X, ϕ) is a C^* -correspondence over A . As in [19], it holds that $\phi^{-1}(K(X)) = C(E^0) = A$, $\ker(\phi) = C(E_s^0)$ and $J_X = C(E_r^0)$. The left action ϕ on X is injective if E has no sinks. The C^* -correspondence X is full if E has no sources. We denote by \mathcal{O}_E the (relative) Cuntz-Pimsner algebra of the C^* -correspondence X with $J = J_X$. Then \mathcal{O}_E is isomorphic to the graph C^* -algebra $C^*(E)$ ([18]).

We denote by γ the gauge action of \mathbb{T} on \mathcal{O}_E . Let β be a positive number. We consider β -KMS states on the C^* -algebra \mathcal{O}_E with respect to the gauge action γ .

We number vertices of E from 1 to n . Let e be an edge such that $s(e) = i$ and $r(e) = j$. Since multiples edges are not permitted, we write e as (i, j) . We denote by $\chi_{(i,j)}$ the characteristic function of the edge (i, j) . Then $\{\chi_{(i,j)} \mid (i, j) \in E^1\}$ constitutes a basis of X on A .

By Theorem 3.17, there exists a bijective correspondence between the β -KMS states on \mathcal{O}_E and the tracial states τ on the commutative C^* -algebra A such that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{(i,j) \in E^1} \tau((\chi_{(i,j)} | \phi(f) \chi_{(i,j)})_A) &= e^\beta \tau(f) \quad f \in J_X = C(E_r^0) \\ \sum_{(i,j) \in E^1} \tau((\chi_{(i,j)} | \phi(f) \chi_{(i,j)})_A) &\leq e^\beta \tau(f) \quad f \in A^+ = C(E^0)^+. \end{aligned}$$

The correspondence is affine.

We denote by $D = [a_{i,j}]_{1 \leq i,j \leq n}$ the adjacency matrix of the graph E i.e.

$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{there exists } e \in E^1 \text{ such that } s(e) = j, r(e) = i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

and we denote by χ_j the characteristic function of the vertex j .

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\chi_{(i,j)}|\phi(\chi_l)\chi_{(i,j)})_A(k) &= \sum_{r(e)=k} \overline{\chi_{(i,j)}(e)}\phi(\chi_l)\chi_{(i,j)}(e) \\ &= \delta_{l,i}\delta_{j,k}a_{k,l}. \end{aligned}$$

We put $f = \sum_{l=1}^n f_l \chi_l$. Then we have

$$(\chi_{(i,j)}|\phi(f)\chi_{(i,j)})_A(k) = \sum_{l=1}^n f_l \delta_{l,i} \delta_{j,k} a_{k,l}.$$

For $\tau \in A^*$, we write as $\tau = {}^t(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$. We rewrite $(\beta 1)$ as:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{(i,j) \in E^1} \tau((\chi_{(i,j)}|\phi(f)\chi_{(i,j)})_A) &= \sum_{(i,j) \in E^1} \sum_{k=1}^n \tau_k \sum_{l=1}^n f_l \delta_{l,i} \delta_{j,k} a_{k,l} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{l=1}^n \tau_k f_l a_{k,l} = \sum_{l=1}^n \left(\sum_{k=1}^n a_{k,l} \tau_k \right) f_l. \end{aligned}$$

We put $B = {}^tD$. Let τ be a tracial state on A . Then $(\beta 1)$ and $(\beta 2)$ are written as

$$(B\tau|f) = e^\beta(\tau|f) \quad f \in C(E_r^0) \quad (8)$$

$$(B\tau|f) \leq e^\beta(\tau|f) \quad f \in C(E^0)^+. \quad (9)$$

Lemma 4.2. *If E is a finite graph, $(\beta 1)$ implies $(\beta 2)$.*

Proof. If E has no sink, the Lemma is trivial.

Let i be a sink and put $f = \chi_i$. The left hand side of (9) is

$$\sum_{l=1}^n a_{k,l} f_l = a_{k,i}.$$

If i is a sink then it becomes 0. □

If E has no sink the conditions $(\beta 1)$ and $(\beta 2)$ are made into one condition:

$$(\beta) \quad (B\tau|f) = e^\beta(\tau|f) \quad f \in A.$$

Then τ is a Perron-Frobenius eigenvector and e^β is the Perron-Frobenius eigenvalue of B .

We assume that E has a sink. We denote by E_1^0 the set of vertices such that there exists an infinite path from them, and denote by E_4^0 the set of vertices such that there exists no infinite path from them. We note that E_1^0 is not empty if and only if the graph E has a loop because E is a finite graph.

We note that $E^0 = E_1^0 \cup E_4^0$ and $E_1^0 \cap E_4^0 = \emptyset$. The set E_4^0 contains all sinks, and all paths which start from the vertices in E_4^0 must end at sinks.

We note that there exists no edge from vertices in E_4^0 to vertices in E_1^0 . If such an edge exists, it holds that there exists an infinite path which starts from a vertex in E_4^0 .

Lemma 4.3. *We can number E^0 as follows:*

- (1) *The numbers of vertices in E_4^0 are larger than that of vertices in E_1^0 .*
- (2) *There exists no edge from j to i where $i < j$ and i and j are edges in E_4^0 .*
- (3) *The numbers of sinks are larger than the number of vertices which are not sinks.*

Proof. We note that E_4^0 contains sinks. First, we number vertices of E so that the numbers of sinks are larger than the numbers of vertices which are not sink. We denote by $E(1)$ the graph obtained by removing sinks and edges whose ranges are sinks. If $E(1)$ has no sink, the proof is completed. If $E(1)$ has sinks, we renumber vertices of $E(1)$ so that the numbers of sinks in $E(1)$ are larger than the numbers of vertices which are not sinks. We get graphs $E(0), E(1), E(2), \dots$, inductively. We have put $E(0) = E$ for the convenience. Since E is a finite graph, there exists a non negative integer r such that $E(r)$ contains a sink and $E(r+1)$ is empty or $E(r+1)$ has no sink.

The vertices in E_1^0 are not removed, because there exists an infinite path from starting from vertices in E_1^0 . On the other hand, vertices in E_4^0 are removed because a path starting from vertex in E_4^0 must reach a sink, and if such a path remains, then a sink is also remained. \square

We denote by F the graph obtained by removing vertices in E_4^0 and edges whose ranges are in E_4^0 . We call F the core of the graph E .

We put $E_3^0 = E_s^0$ and put $E_2^0 = E_4^0 \setminus E_3^0$. Then E^0 is expressed as the disjoint union of E_1^0, E_2^0 and E_3^0 . Using this dividing of vertices, we write $f = {}^t[f_1 \ f_2 \ f_3]$, $f_i \in C(E_i^0)$ ($i = 1, 2, 3$) for $f \in A = C(E^0)$, and $\tau = {}^t[\tau_1 \ \tau_2 \ \tau_3]$ for a tracial state τ of A . We rewrite $(\beta 1)$ using the above block expression. We use the notation (τ, f) of dual pairing instead of $\tau(f)$.

We write the following equation

$$(B\tau, f) = e^\beta(\tau, f) \quad f \in C(E_r^0).$$

using the above block notation as follows:

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} & B_{13} \\ O & B_{22} & B_{23} \\ O & O & O \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} e^\beta \tau_1 \\ e^\beta \tau_2 \\ e^\beta \tau_3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right).$$

Since f_1 and f_2 are arbitrary, we have

$$B_{11}\tau_1 + B_{12}\tau_2 + B_{13}\tau_3 = e^\beta \tau_1 \tag{10}$$

$$B_{22}\tau_2 + B_{23}\tau_3 = e^\beta \tau_2. \tag{11}$$

From (11), we have

$$\tau_2 = e^{-\beta}(B_{22}\tau_2 + B_{23}\tau_3).$$

Since (i, j) element in B_{22} is 0 for $i > j$, we can determine all elements of τ_2 for a given nonnegative τ_3 for every $\beta > 0$.

We assume E has a loop, and E_1^0 is not empty. We note that B_{11} is the transpose of the adjacency matrix of F . Let λ_0 be the Perron-Frobenius eigenvalue of B_{11} . Using (10), we have

$$(e^\beta I - B_{11})\tau_1 = B_{12}\tau_2 + B_{13}\tau_3.$$

If e^β is greater than λ_0 , for nonnegative τ_2, τ_3 we can determine nonnegative τ_1 by

$$\tau_1 = (e^\beta I - B_{11})^{-1}(B_{12}\tau_2 + B_{13}\tau_3).$$

For a sink v , let τ_3 be the state corresponding to the Dirac measure δ_v on v . we can determine τ_2 and τ_1 , and we can get a tracial state τ_v by the normalization. The tracial state τ_v on A gives the β -KMS state φ_v on \mathcal{O}_E .

We summarize the results as the following theorem.

Theorem 4.4. (1) We assume that E has a loop. We denote by λ_0 the Perron-Frobenius eigenvalue of the transposed of the adjacency matrix of the core F . If $\beta > \log \lambda_0$, the set of the extreme β -KMS states on \mathcal{O}_E with respect to the gauge action correspond to the Dirac measures on the set of sinks in E .

(2) We assume that E has no loop. Then for every $\beta > 0$, the set of the extreme β -KMS states on \mathcal{O}_E with respect to the gauge action correspond to the Dirac measures on the set of sinks in E .

Proposition 4.5. Each extreme KMS state in Theorem 4.4 generates a type I factor.

Proof. We write as $\tau = {}^t [\tau_1 \ \tau_2 \ \tau_3]$. Using the equation (10) and (11), we can write as

$$(I - e^{-\beta} B) \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \tau_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then we have

$$\begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \end{bmatrix} = (I - e^{-\beta} B)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \tau_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

If $\beta > \log \lambda_0$, then $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} e^{i\beta} B^i$ is convergent, and we have

$$\tau = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} e^{i\beta} B^i \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \tau_3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let v be a sink and τ_3 be the state corresponding to the Dirac measure δ_v on v . We can determine τ_2 and τ_1 , and we get a tracial state τ_v by the normalization of τ .

The β -KMS state φ_v extending τ_v is of finite type in [23], and generates type I factor ([10]). \square

We assume that E has a loop and E_1^0 is not empty. If $\beta = \log \lambda_0$, there exists a β -KMS state on \mathcal{O}_E which is of infinite type in [23]. These KMS state are essentially the same as that given in [4].

Proposition 4.6. *We assume $\beta = \log \lambda_0$. Let $\hat{\tau}_1$ be the normalized Perron Frobenius eigenvector of B_{11} . Then $(\hat{\tau}_1, 0, 0)$ is a β -KMS state on \mathcal{O}_E . It corresponds to a β -KMS state of the graph C^* -algebra associated graph F .*

The KMS states in Proposition 4.6 generates type III von Neumann algebra under some condition ([4]).

Remark 4.1. *KMS states on Exel-Laca algebras are classified in [7] and graph C^* -algebras are known to be strongly Morita equivalent to some Exel-Laca algebra by adding tails to sinks. But KMS states of finite graphs with sinks can not be obtained directly from that of Exel-Laca algebras because the relation of KMS states on strongly Morita equivalent C^* -algebras are not known.*

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